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VIA TELECOPIER - (212) 597-2585

Mr. Jacob J. Goldberg  
President, Telecom Industry Services  
Bell Atlantic Corporation  
1095 Avenue of the Americas, 40th Floor  
New York, NY 10036

Re: North County Communications Corp.

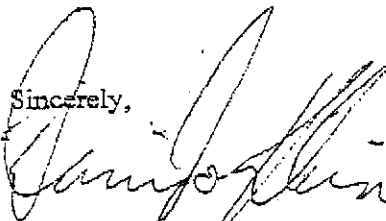
Dear Mr. Goldberg:

Pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996, North County Communications Corp. ("North County") hereby requests the opportunity to commence interconnection negotiations with Bell Atlantic in its West Virginia service areas.

Please contact me at your earliest convenience so that we may commence the process.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



David O. Klein

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VIA TELECOPIER - (212) 395-7600

Ms. Jennifer Van Scoter  
Director, Interconnection Policy and Planning  
Bell Atlantic  
1095 Avenue of Americas, Room 1423  
New York, NY 10036

Re: North County Communications Corporation

Dear Ms. Van Scoter:

Pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996, North County Communications Corporation ("North County") hereby requests the opportunity to commence interconnection negotiations with Bell Atlantic in its West Virginia service areas. Specifically, North County has chosen to opt into the interconnection agreement of MCI Metro.

Please contact me at your earliest convenience so that we may commence the process.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



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August 18, 2000

Ms. April Spinelli  
Bell Atlantic Account Team  
500 Summit Lake Drive  
Valhalla, NY 10595

Re: North County Communications Corp. - West Virginia

Dear Ms. Spinelli:

Enclosed please find an executed Information Request Form and Customer Profile Form for North County Communications Corp. in the State of West Virginia.

Should you have any questions, please contact this office at your convenience.

Sincerely,

  
David O. Klein

Enclosure

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